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Dated 16.4.52

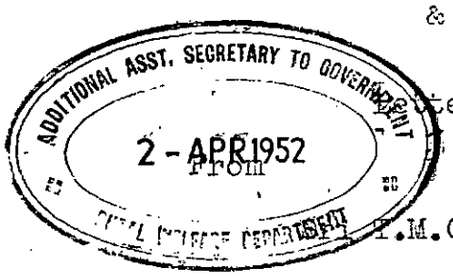
Subject: Appointment of Public Prosecutor

H.R and C.E - Sri Pudugai Maitt - Swamy Thanthai

District - Appointment of Trustees - Description

report - Recorded

Office of the Commissioner for Hindu Religious & Charitable Endowments (Adm) Department, Madras.



Letter No.12706/52.1. Gnl. dated 28-3-1952.

From

T.M.Chinnaiya Pillai, M.A.,B.L.,
Commissioner,
Hindu Religious & Charitable Endowments (Adm) Department,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Rural Welfare Department, Fort St. George, Madras.

Sir,

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Sub: Hindu Religious & Charitable Endowments - appraisement and verification of jewels and other valuables - Sri Puttigai math - Udipi - S.Kanara District - descriptive report of the Verification Officer - forwarded.

Ref: From the Verification Officer - report dated 17-3-1952.

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I forward herewith a copy of the report together with the register of valuables to the Government for approval.

2. I am in agreement with the suggestions of the Verification Officer. In the light of the recent High Court Judgment, no instructions are now being issued to the math authorities ~~and~~ except sending a copy of the report.

3. I request that the Government may be pleased to approve the report so as to enable me to advise the math to adopt the valuation.

Yours faithfully,

Commissioner.

Encl.2.

smd 29/3

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Office of the Verification Officer,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments,
Camp: Tirupathi, Chittoor District.

From

Sri V.Rangaiah B.A., B.L.,
Verification Officer,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments,
Camp: Tirupathi.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Rural welfare Department,
Fort St.George,
Madras.

Through

The Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments,
Cathedral Post,
Madras 6

Sir,

Sub:- Descriptive report - Sri Puthigai Mutt - Udipi - South Kanara District - Submitted.

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This is one of the ashtamatams at Udipi, South Kanara District. The matathipathies of the ashtamatams are the poojaries at Sri Krishna Devara Matalaya and each of the matathipathies by turns known as paryayam, acts as managing trustee for a period of 2 years and performs poojas during the period. The general features of these ashtamatams have been mentioned by me in descriptive reports of Sri Krishna Devara matalaya, the Sode mutt and in Kanyoor mutt etc. The first disciple of Sri Madwacharya belonging to this mutt is Upendra Theerth Swamiar. The present matathipathi has also nominated a junior matathipathi for this mutt. They are respectively H.H.Sri Suddhindra Tirtha Swamiji and H.H.Sri Sujnanendra Tirtha Swamiar.

II. This matam owns another matam in Mysore State at Tirthahalli and together the two matams obtain an income of over Rs. 50,000/- a year. The matam in Mysore State has been separated from the matam at Udipi and only the valuables belonging to the matam at Udipi have been appraised and included in the lists. The matam at Udipi has also some mutts under its juris-

diction. The valuables of the submutt at Puthigai village produced have also been included in the lists.

III. The valuables of the matam are mainly those used for the pooja of the swamiar in the matam and the paraphernalia for the purpose. The presiding deity for the mutt is Sri Vithala Devru. The paraphernalia both gold and silver and gem-set articles held by this matam are very poor. This matathipathi has newly reconstructed this matam and may now well improve the paraphernalia and the jewel wealth of the presiding deity in this matam. In common with the other matams no previous registers of the valuables of the matam have been produced for verification and appraisement. A register under section 38 of the Hindu Religious Endowments Act has been submitted to the Board and the same is pending approval.

IV. In the remarks columns to the lists the repairs necessary to the items have been mentioned. The following urgent repairs may be carried out to the items.

Item No. in the present lists.	Description	Remarks
1	A pair of gem-set padhakkam	Missing gems may be renewed and the links properly be repaired.
6	Gold gundu sâra	Gold foils to some of gundus may be repaired.
14	Nagas keerthi muga.	The broken hook in the back may be got supplie
17	Vittalu Devru kavacham	Dents to be removed and missing latch to be supplied.
21	Sathyabama Ammavaru	The face is crushed and mutilated. To be set right or remade.
55 in the silver list	Prabha Mantala	Breakages to the mutts to be repaired.
67 -do-	Samrams	The kumizh of one of the samrams to be replaced.

V. The appraisement and verification of the valuables of this mutt was taken up on 9-6-51 and was closed on 15-6-1951. The cost of appraisement and verification of the valuables of this mutt is estimated at Rs.150/-.

VI. The result of appraisement is given below:-

Value of gold and gem-set articles	...	Rs.	8,471	0 0
Value of silver, plated and gilded articles	...	Rs.	9,314	5 6
Total	...	Rs.	17,785	5 6

V. Ranganathan
17-8-52
VERIFICATION OFFICER.

Enc: List of valuables.
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Rural Welfare Deptt.(V)

Abstract

H.R.&.C.E - Sri Puttigai Math - Udipi - South Kanara District - Appraisement of jewels - Descriptive report - Recorded.

Read also:-

From the Commissioner, H.R.&.C.E.(Admn)Deptt.letter No. 12706/52-1 Gnl. dated 28-3-52.

ORDER No. 431 RW(V) Dated 16.4.1952.
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2. The register of valuables intended for Government use is sent to the Curator, Madras Record Office, Egmore, for safe custody.

To
The Commissioner,
H.R.&.C.E.(Admn)Deptt.
Madras.

The Curator, M.R.O.,
Egmore, Madras.
(with encl.)

S/C

NOTE:- The descriptive report of Sri Puttigai Math, Udipi, South Kanara District on pp.1-3 of (G) may be perused and it may be recorded.

The draft order above is for approval. May be circulated to H.C.M.

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
15 APR 1952
RURAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT

C. Rajamanickam
15-4-52

From
Dr. B. S. Baliga, Ph.D. (Lond.),
Curator, Madras Record Office,
Egmore, Madras-8.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Rural Welfare Department,
Fort St. George.

No. 556/52-S.A.9844 dated 23rd April 1952.

Sir,

Sub:- Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments - Sri Putigai Math - Udipi - South Kanara District - Appraisement of jewels - Descriptive report - Recorded.

Ref:- G.O.Ms.No. 431, Rural Welfare, dated 16-4-1952.

The register of valuables, etc., of Sri Putigai Math, Udipi, South Kanara District, forwarded to this office for safe custody with the G.O. referred to above has been received.

Yours faithfully,

CURATOR.
24-4-1952.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY to Govt. 24 APR 1952 RURAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT

ADDITIONAL ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 24 APR 1952 RURAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT